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In re Application of : Sullivan
For : **MULTI-LAYER GOLF BALL**
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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2002 in the above-captioned application. The period for responding to this action without paying extension-of-time fees expired on September 27, 2002. Payment and request for a three (3) month extension of time is enclosed herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 27, 2002.

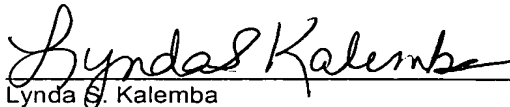
Please amend the present application as follows:

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